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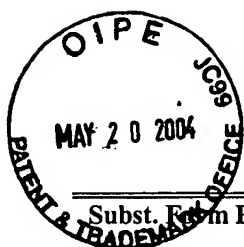
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| | AP | Exhibit B ₁ is a gene sequence for Mox-1 (2182 base pairs) (mistakenly designated "Mox-2") submitted by A.F. Candia to New GenBank and created on September 25, 1992. |
| | AQ | "Exhibit B ₂ is the same gene sequence as Exhibit B ₁ except the former designation "Mox-2" has been corrected to read "Mox-1". |
| | AR | Exhibit C is the partial gene sequence for mouse Mox-2A submitted by A.F. Candia to GenBank and created on October 5, 1992. |
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